

Torrance Business and Professional Women Install Officers



NEW OFFICERS — Shown here after installation ceremonies are newly elected officers of the Torrance Business and Professional Women's Club (left to right) Mmes. John Snow, president; Russell Clawson, first vice-president; Albert John, second vice-president;

Duke Goodwin, recording secretary; Albert Reinman, corresponding secretary; Miss Opal Weise, treasurer; and Mrs. Henry Burke, auditor. Installation took place Monday, March 19, at the Pen and Quill Restaurant in Manhattan Beach.

Dinner Highlighted By Exchange of Pins

Torrance Business and Professional Women's Club held their installation dinner at the Pen and Quill Restaurant, 3421 N. Sepulveda, Manhattan Beach, Monday evening, March 19. President Leona Wilson of Sierra Mar district was the installing officer. New club officers for 1962-63 are: Mmes. John Snow, president; Russell Clawson, first vice president; Albert John, second vice president; Duke Goodwin, recording secretary; Henry Burke, auditor; and Miss Opal Weise, treasurer.

With the exchange of president pins, Dorthie Kirkpatrick became the new junior past president and Mary Snow the new president. Mrs. Snow is originally from Assonett, Massachusetts. She has lived in California for ten years. Formerly with the Worthington Corp., the new president has been employed as executive secretary to the technical director of Harvey Aluminum for the past eight years. She has two daughters and four grandchildren. Her hobbies are listed as "gardening, knitting, furniture refinishing, and 'getting to know people'." The first board meeting at which Mrs. Snow presided at was held Tuesday, March 27, at her residence.



MRS. JOHN SNOW
... President

Approximately 300 members of the Sierra Mar District Business and Professional Women's Club are expected to attend the Annual Convention at the Huntington-Sheraton Hotel, Pasadena, April 13-14. Events in connection with the meeting are being planned around the district theme for the year, "Communication—The American Way—Unlimited."

The convention opener will be a dinner at 6:30 p.m. Friday for outgoing and incoming presidents of the 44 clubs in the district. Sierra Mar District's first vice-president, Marilyn Fisher, will preside.

A reception will follow honoring candidates for office. They include: for president, unopposed, Mrs. Marilyn Fisher of Claremont Club; for first vice president, unopposed, Mrs. Gwendolyn M. Boling of El Segundo Club; for second vice president, Mrs. Dessa L. Everts of Bel-Maywood Club, and Mrs. Gloria M. Foulke of the Whittier Club; for recording secretary, Miss Alice M. Carmouche of the Huntington

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American Legion Is Sponsoring Student

American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 287 is sponsoring Banning student, Janet Schultz, in the 19th Annual California Girls' State. The event will be held from



JANET SCHULTZ
... Representative

June 18 through 26 on the Davis Campus of the University of California.

Janet, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schultz of Dominguez, was chosen as Banning's representative by the school's faculty and administration on the basis of her outstanding scholarship and leadership abilities.

She maintained a straight A average in high school, while participating in a great many extracurricular activities. She has been a Banning cheerleader for the past year and has held offices in several campus organizations, including Girls' League, Future Teachers of America, Archimedes, Dolphins, Damsels, and the Girls' Athletic Association.

Janet has a math-music major, which she hopes to continue with in college. She is presently considering

several colleges, among them are Occidental and UCLA. Janet enjoys math studies, as evidenced by her high grades and her participation in the Math Field Day at Occidental College for two successive years, however, she hopes to pursue a career as a music teacher. She has studied music for the past eight and one half years and plays the piano, accordion and organ.

The Girls' State program, which is sponsored by the California Department of the American Legion Auxiliary, is a wonderful opportunity for high school age girls to learn about the administration of our form of government. Girls' State is not a recreational camp, but is a course in practical civics.

Although the girls are guided by women who are experienced in the functions and workings of our State Government, they do their own organizing, as the main purpose of Girls' State is to let them learn by doing. It is hoped that the experience of participating in Girls' State will encourage each girl to develop a deeper interest in the contemporary problems of government.

The Girls' State functions according to the existing laws of California. The girls are organized into cities, counties, and political parties.

Guest speakers of the evening will be Mrs. Leah Mo-nell, auxiliaries director and Mr. Phillip Skormich, executive director of Cedars-Sinai Hospital.

Palos Verdes-South Bay Alumnae Makes Plans for Founder's Day

The Palos Verdes-South Bay Alumnae of Alpha Xi Delta held their monthly meeting recently at the home of Mrs. James Frudenberg, 5826 Chariton Ave., Los Angeles.

Plans for Founder's Day were completed. A luncheon will be held at the Jump 'n Jack restaurant in Torrance on Saturday, April 14.

The following newly elected officers will be installed at that time: Mmes. Thomas Black, president; Louis Bradvica, first vice president; Luther Beard, second vice president; R. E. Martin, recording secretary; Bill Blanchard, corresponding secretary; Ken Cunningham, treasurer; Paul Manahan, journal correspondent; Joseph Columbe, panhellenic representative; Gilbert Rea, alternate.

Chairmen appointed were: Mmes. Louis Bradvica, philanthropy; Ken Cunningham, publicity; Luther Beard, membership; Philip Goes, telephone; Louis Bradvica, program; Bill Blanchard, bridge; Philip Sayre, magazine.

After the business meeting, a program of physical fitness was presented by Mrs. Paul Manahan, a physical education instructor at El Camino College.

Members attending were Mmes. Gilbert Rea, Philip Goes, R. E. Martin, Paul Manahan, James Hill, Ken Cunningham, David Knowlton, James Frudenberg, and M. Hoggatt.

Care of Orchids Emphasized in Coming Lecture

The care of orchids and making of floral arrangements will emphasize a talk by Mrs. Victor Benstead of Torrance before members of the Bishop Montgomery High School Mothers' Club.

She will address the group following a business session at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the school library, 5430 Torrance Blvd.

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Local Girl Touring Throughout Europe

A surprise "Bon Voyage" party was held March 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willys G. Blount, 1444 El Prado, for their daughter, Anna Beth. Miss Diane Tur-

ner hosted the event. Serving as the table centerpiece was a sheet cake decorated with outlines of an airplane, luggage, and bon voyage sentiments.

Guests attending were: Sheila Bainer, Virginia Doreck, Loretta Linderman, Carol Misher, Gail Mosher, Ticky Roberts, "Andy" Siller, Jeanie Sprout, Kathy Thomsen, Karen Sue Williams, Judy Wixon, and party Wood.

The sixteen year-old Torrance High School student left Wednesday for New York where she was met by her aunt, Mrs. Ben Harwit of Midland, Texas. After a two-day stay in the big city they left by airplane for Europe. Their itinerary runs parallel with that of Anna Beth's sister, Mary Margaret, who is completing her European Semester at the University of Redlands Australia extension.

Since the twenty-year-old college junior's studies will be taking her to Rome, Paris, London, Germany, Switzerland, and France, Anna Beth and Mrs. Harwit will be able to visit with her in several countries.

Mary Margaret is a Government major at the University of Redlands and plans to enter the teaching profession after completing

her studies. Her class of forty-seven students, four professors and their families, left in February for Salzburg, Austria. They live and study there in a small hotel. The European semester includes field trips, lectures, classes, etc.

The sisters will end their separate tours in Rome, at which time Anna Beth and Mrs. Harwit will make their return to the United States. Mary Margaret will return home by ship June 9 of this year.

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Dianas Discuss Philanthropic Work at Meeting

The March board meeting of the Redondo Beach Dianas, California Federation of Women's Clubs Jr. Membership, marina district, was held this week at the home of Mrs. Sheldon Goldenson.

Mrs. Paul Taylor, president, introduced Diana co-ordinators Mmes: Don Beard, Curt Richardson and Charles Bougamont.

Letters were received from the following clubs who had sent a contribution to the cancer fund in memory of Mrs. Irmadele Rous, Seal Beach Jrs., \$259, proceeds from benefit program; Lancaster Jrs.; Palo Alto Jrs.; Sacramento Jrs.; Northbrae Jrs.; and Tracy Jrs.

Mrs. Ted Kerwin, philanthropy chairman, announced a bowling party was held for 15 youngsters of the Garden Valley Association, at the Missile Bowl in Gardena. Whiffle balls were given to all the children.

Adults Invited To Dance Course At Local YWCA

Does your chassis need overhauling for the spring season? Are your spirits sagging along with your muscles? The Torrance YWCA offers you a chance to slim down, perk up and enjoy yourself all at once in its unique modern interpretive dance program for women 18 to 50 years of age.

No more than 15 students are accepted for each class so you are urged to register either in advance or no later than the evening of April 2.

Beginners are always welcome at each new session for the early 7 to 8 p.m. class. Those with a little more experience may attend the 8 to 9 p.m. intermediate class which is now experimenting with dance composition.

Reserve your place in class by calling the Torrance "Y," FA 0-2255 (2320 Carson St.). The fee for the six week, Monday night series is nominal. Mrs. Janne Bosco, the instructor for the course, believes dancing to be a satisfying release for pent-up emotions as well as a marvelous way to keep in trim. Join for fun through self-expression.

RUMMAGE SALE — Women's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church is holding a rummage sale in the parish hall, 1432 Engracia Ave., Torrance on Friday, April 6, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and on Saturday, April 7, from 9 a.m. until 12 noon.

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and Joseph Segna, Mrs. Joseph Boscoe instructs. The six-week series of lessons begins tomorrow evening at 7-8 p.m. for beginners and 8-9 p.m. for intermediate. Classes are limited to 15 students.

North HS Planning Gym Hop

"Polynesian Paradise" has been chosen for the theme of the 6th annual North High School G.A.A.-sponsored Backwards Dance to be held April 6, according to Mary Montgomery, sponsor.

The dance will be held in the gymnasium from 8 until 11:30 p.m. Dress is semi-formal.

Entertainment will be provided by Marlene Norsoph, North High Senior, who will sing. The traditional knife dance will be performed by a Polynesian group.

Saxons will dance to the music provided by the Esquires, a dance band from the South Bay area.

Decorations of tropical plants and a waterfall will carry out the theme of Polynesian Paradise.

On April 2 the search will begin for the mystery person who will be walking around campus during all lunch periods. KNHS, North's radio station, will frequently announce where the mystery person is, and whoever discovers her will receive a refund on their ticket. In order to participate, a ticket must have already been purchased.

Admission prices for the dance are \$1.25 for G.A.A. members and \$1.50 for non-members. Tickets will go on sale beginning March 26 in the covered patio.



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